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Director of Training

23 October 1959

Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

Area Training

1. Reference is made to your questions on the routing and record sheet covering [REDACTED]'s memorandum to you, dated 19 October 1959, on this subject.

2. On the basis of our [REDACTED] meeting with [REDACTED] on 12 October 1959, when we discussed the 6 October memorandum and our staff study on area training, I do not think we need to go back to him now for more specific guidance.

3. [REDACTED] has informed me that LAS is formulating a "work program," directed to itself, based on the staff study. This will provide LAS with a schedule of things they will do to meet the training requirements suggested or recommended in our memo and staff study. As the specific courses (AAC) are developed, in close coordination with the area divisions (branches, desks), LAS also will keep in close touch [REDACTED]. The same will apply to the reading "kits," which will have to be done in order of priorities and/or stated requirements of the area divisions.

4. With respect to the Dependent Briefings, I do not think DD/P has come 'round yet to compulsory Dependents Briefings; however, I do believe we can suggest to DD/P, via [REDACTED], a means of urging and very strongly encouraging attendance, together with a simple means of policing the follow-through on such urgings.

5. In sum, I think [REDACTED] looks to us for follow-through, to staff out the detailed implementation of our recommendations. Meanwhile, we must also now acquaint DD/I and DD/S with our findings and intentions.

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